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Sir:

In response to the NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS  
UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 mailed May 31, 2006, enclosed please find an executed  
Declaration/Power of Attorney form. Also enclosed is a copy of the NOTIFICATION OF  
MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any  
overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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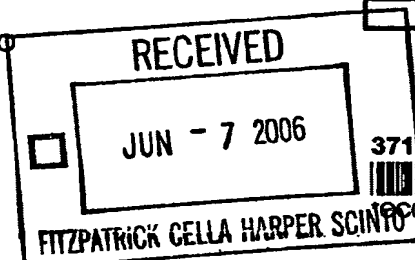
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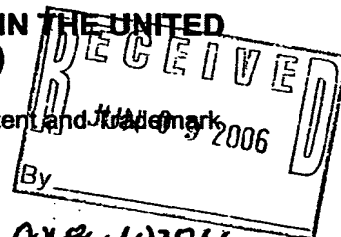
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- Copy of the International Application filed on 10/12/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 10/12/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 10/12/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 10/12/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 10/12/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 10/12/2005
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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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